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40 YARD TRIALS HELD YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

Stavert Won the Final in Fairly Good Time of 22 2-5 Seconds

INTERCLASS Swimming meet.

The swimming team held a very fast but rather short practice in the M.A.A.A. bath on Peel Street yesterday.

The result of the first two heats in the 40 yds. dash were:

1st heat. 1st. D. Williamson, 2nd. Stavert. Time 22 1-5 sec.

2nd. Heat. 1st. L. Smith, 2nd. B. Smith, Time 22 sec.

In the final Stavert succeeded in beating L. Smith by several yards, thus gaining the place of 4th man on the Relay Team.

BACK STROKE.

1st. Heat. Draper 1st, Thom. 2nd., Time 27 4-5 sec.

2nd. Heat. McGill 1st., McPhail 2nd Time 28 2-5- sec.

FINAL.

1st. Draper, 2nd. Thom. Time 29 3-5- sec.

McKay and McGill swam the hundred, resulting in a win for McGill in 1 min. 2. 3-5 sec.

The final trials will be held at the Interclass meet tonight at 8.15 at the Central Y.M.C.A. bath on Drummond Street to pick the team that will represent McGill at the Intercollegiate meet to be held at Toronto on Saturday. Two very interesting events are booked for the evening. First a Relay Race and second a Water Polo match between the championship M. A.A.A. team and the McGill seniors. A large turnout of students is expected as the proceeds will help the Swimming Team along financially.

Hodgson is still on the sick list but will likely be all right for the meet at Toronto on Saturday.

Those who turned out were Kerry, L. Smith, B. Smith, D. Williamson, N. Williamson, Draper, Stavert, Thom, McKay, Hadley, McPhail and McGill.

ARTS DINNER HELD YESTERDAY NIGHT, A THOROUGH SUCCESS

Annual Function was Enjoyed by all

A dinner can be Dry and still be a success and without losing any of the characteristics which a University function should possess. This was clearly demonstrated last night when the Fifth Annual Dinner of the Arts Undergrad was held at the Canada Club where the toasts were drunk with nothing more or less than Gurd's Belfast.

The whole affair was an immense success—the Club appointments and the dinner service were greatly appreciated. Dignity appeared to be the dominant note—for it was seldom that the youthful spirits brimmed over into song or repartee.

After the Toast to the King had been honored, Mr. H. W. Morgan, President of Arts' Undergrad called upon Mr. Common to propose the Toast to Alma Mater.

Dean Moyse, in the absence of Prin. Peterson, responded in a highly delightful manner. The gist of the speakers remarks were against the "cliquist" spirit which had a tendency to flourish at McGill. In passing the Dean refereed to the excellent service which the Daily is doing to develop a better "esprit de corps."

R. C. Smith, K.C., the distinguished barrister and the Guest of Honor gave an excellent address. The strain of the speakers thoughts were those of an "Idealist with kindly feelings toward an Optimist."

The noted lawyer lamented the great inequalities in learning which exist to-day between the privileged few and the great middle class. He spoke of the passing of the reading habit and the substitution of light comedy for relaxation from the strenuous life.

In a burst of passionate appeal for more men in the Universities to lead the nation aright, the speaker closed amid vigorous applause.

Mr. J. C. Heaton, in a very apt manner introduced the toast to the Professoriate which was most acceptably replied to by Prof. Dale.

Other toasts were to "Sister Universities" proposed by Mr. MacGuire and answered by reps. from Toronto, Queen's, Laval. "Sister Faculties" and "Graduates" were disposed of in an acceptable manner by Messrs. Oughtred, Hutchison, Cousins.

The toasts to the "Ladies" by Prof. MacNaughton, was exceedingly delightful to the company.

These gentlemen who comprised the Committee may feel fully satisfied with their efforts. Committee:—H. W. Morgan; R. L. Gale; M. Sutherland; P. Fisher; J. C. Heaton; C. D. McKenzie; H. Beatty; P. Hutchison.

POPULAR PROFESSOR THE GUEST OF HONOR AT BOSTON BANQUET

Dr. Stephen Leacock will Address the Victoria Club in that City

Dr. Stephen Leacock left Montreal last night for Boston in order to attend a meeting of the Victorian club in that city on Thursday evening. Dr. Leacock will be the guest of honor at a banquet in the Westminster Hotel. He will deliver a speech on Imperial Unity.

The Victorian Club is a club of British citizens resident in Boston, corresponding to the Canadian Club in that city. Dr. Leacock will return to Montreal Saturday morning.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tickets for the Strathcona Hall informal dance next Monday night may be secured from the Secretary of the Y.M.C.A.

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1913 MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

There will be a meeting of the 1913 Class Memorial Committee tonight at 7.30 sharp in the R.V.C. Very important business is to be transacted. —J. R. Donald, chairman.

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Members of the Orchestra are requested to turn out in full force tonight. This is absolutely necessary in view of the fact that the Orchestra is to furnish music at the senior play on February 19th.—J. A. Smith, Conductor.

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MEDICAL SOCIETY.

There will be a meeting of the McGill Medical Undergraduate Society on Friday evening, February 14th, in the Assembly Hall of the New Medical Building, beginning at 8.15 p.m.

Dr. Goodall will deliver an address on "The Uterns Its. Involutions, Normal and Abnormal.'-

Mr. George Phelan, of the final year will give a vocal solo. There will also be a case report and refreshments will be served at the end of the evening.

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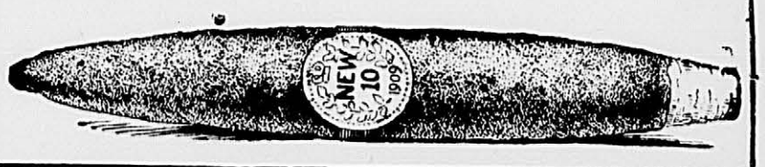

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Editorial

We referred yesterday to three points which we thought worthy of consideration in connection with the deficit of last year's Council. The first of these we dealt with at some length and it yet remains for us to consider the second and third. The second point which we mentioned was, "The benefits, if any, derived by the outlay which necessitated the incurrence of the debt."

As this debt was incurred through the establishment of a daily college paper at McGill, we may safely consider it as a benefit. It is a benefit moreover from which succeeding years of students will reap still further advantages. To establish and conduct a paper is an undertaking of considerable magnitude, both as concerns the business and editorial ends. Last year there was a large deficit and the paper was published four times a week. This year the deficit, if there is one at all, will be very small and the paper will have been published six times a week. It was thus first of all proved that we could run a paper here at McGill and this year the fact has been established that it was possible to produce one six times a week.

The paper will improve as time goes on. Organization can of necessity only come as the result of experience and efficiency as the result of training. Next year's Daily should logically be superior to this year's paper and improvements will be introduced from year to year.

It follows therefore that from last year's heavy expenditure the greatest benefits were not derived last year, or this year. THE FULLEST ADVANTAGE THEREFROM WILL BE DERIVED IN THE FUTURE. The undergraduates of McGill University benefitted last year. They enjoyed a further advantage this year and should reap still further benefits next year and in other years to come.

DR. PETERSON TO BE GUEST OF HONOUR AT COMING BANQUET

New York Graduates Society of McGill University to Hold Annual Dinner Feb. 26th

The New York Graduates Society of McGill University are going to hold their eighteenth annual dinner on Wednesday, February 26th. Principal Peterson has accepted his invitation as guest of honor. A splendid programme has been arranged, and in fact in every way the committee have spared neither pains nor money to make this dinner the best in the history of the Society. As to where it will be held is yet to be decided, but in all probability the new Hotel McAlpin at Broadway and Thirty-Fourth Street will be chosen. Reservation at four dollars may be made at once to the Chairman of the Dinner Committee, Ernest E. Locke, Med. '07, and it is hoped that there will be a prompt and widespread response to this notice. The co-operation of every McGill graduate within a day's journey of New York at least should be offered, and every possible effort made to have the younger men attend and those older graduates whose interest in the University needs reviving.

Mr. Saliman, Up. 4867, will be able to furnish any further information regarding the trip.

George Hodgson's illness will prevent his participating in the Swimming Meet tonight. This is regrettable as it is always a treat to see Hodgson in action. Here's hoping for a speedy recovery for our speedy aquatic expert.

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Stavert's performance in the forty yard swim yesterday afternoon was quite creditable. His time 22 2-5 seconds looks good enough to win the event at Toronto. From this distance it looks as if the chances of the red and white team in Saturday's meet were excellent.

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The Handicaps for the Billiard Tournament are out and once more the annual grumble takes place. One of the inevitable results of a handicapping committee's work is the causing of dissatisfaction. It is impossible to please everybody.

R. V. C. GRADUATE'S INTRESTING TALK ON STRATHCONA PARK

Miss Ellison Spoke at Regular Meeting Alumnae Society

At the regular meeting of the Alumnae Society of the Royal Victoria College, Miss Myra Ellison gave a very interesting talk on Strathcona Park, the new national park in the central portion of Vancouver Island.

Miss Ellison had the unusual experience of accompanying the first government survey party through the country before unexplored.

The first part of the expedition was the trip up the Campbell River. This river is one of unusual beauty, but for the greater part largely unnavigable even for canoes.

From the head of this river Miss Ellison accompanied a party of nine to Crown Mountain, the highest peak. This trip took seven days and each member had to pack about fifty pounds. Though thickly wooded, there is scarcely any game in this part, on account of the extremely dry weather. From here the party went to Buttus Lake. This lake was a little better known, because some prospectors had been through before. it is an unusually beautiful lake—about twenty-five miles long. Here the government had provided canoes for the party and from the end of the lake we crossed to Albemi. From here they reached Nanamio which was the end of the expedition.

The lecturer was accompanied by beautifully coloured lantern views, of which the original pictures were taken by the official photographer who accompanied the party.

At the end Miss Ellison showed some more views taken by the Alpine Club, who camped last summer on Paron Lake, in this district.

Princeton defeated Harvard in a hockey game in New York last Saturday night. Baker was given splendid support by the rest of the Princeton team and the work of Winants in goal for the winners was spectacular. The score was a tie at half-time but Princeton scored 2 goals in the second period leaving the final score 3—1.

Women students of the University of Southern California have organized a hockey club.

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HOCKEY TEAM HOLD FINAL WORK-OUT BEFORE QUEENS' GAME

Seniors Conspecuous by their Absense

The last work-out of the hockey squad preparatory to the game in Kingston to-morrow was held at the Arena yesterday afternoon only eleven players being in uniform. Rankin, Smith, Thompson, Wilson and Masson of the first string failed to put in an appearance, while Kendall of the intermediates was also conspicuous by his abscence. The five senior puck-chasers apparently have decided that they have had enough hockey for this year and have hung up their skates till another winter rolls around. However, notwithstanding this defection a good snappy practice was indulged in, the players cutting out a fast pace which was continued right through the hour. Owing to the small number of players on the ice and the consequent open play both Montgomery and Mann, the two custodians were given a lot to do but managed to turn aside most of the drives that came along while Hughes and Fawcett who formed the senior defence did some clever blocking, and rushing. On the forward line Ryley and Sutherland came through repeatedly on snappy combination plays and both had speed to burn. Wickson at rover played his usual consistent game, his shooting being especially deadly, while Forman at left wing did a lot of effective skating and checking. De Muth at point had the goods with him yesterday and came across with some stiff checking and a burst of speed which he continued till the end of the work-out.

There will probably be several changes in the line-up of the team from that which went down to defeat before Varsity two weeks ago. The forward line will likely be benched and there may also be a change in the defence. The squad leaves for the Limestone City to-morrow morning and as Queens did not show much in their game with Varsity last week, McGill should wind up the season with a win.

APPEAL FOR MEN MADE BY SPEAKERS AT SPECIAL MEETING

Missionaries from India and China Discuss Imperative Needs

Special missionary meetings were held yesterday afternoon in Strathcona Hall. Quite a number of students were present.

After devotional exercises, Mr. Coote, the chairman, introduced the first speaker, Dr. Margaret McKellar, who spoke on "The Accomplishments of Medical Missions" in India, and the Needs in that Country."

Dr. McKellar remarked that the soldiers of Britain had laid down their lives that India might be saved for the British, but in the spiritual world "we are only marking time". When Carey went out to India, he met with much opposition and many difficulties had to be overcome. To-day, the missionaries have to thank the British government for the many liberties they enjoy, such as railroads, telegraphs and parcel posts, and yet, it must be borne in mind, that the people of India do not love their conquerors. The educational system, originated by Carey, has had a rapid development. India now has five universities and one hundred and twenty colleges as well as numerous smaller centres of learning. Much has yet to be done, since only ten per cent. of the men of India can read and write. The education of women is being encouraged. There are now six hundred thousand women who can read and write.

In North India there is a medical School with a staff of six doctors and an enrollment of a hundred women tudents.

The speaker touched on the mass Movements towards Christianity. Thousands have been converted in the Punjab district in the last ten years. The system of caste hinders rapid progress in the missionary effort. Ceremonial laws regulate the actions of the people.

The British dispensaries, which are primarily for the benefit of Britishers reach only about five per cent. of the people. In Calcutta, sixty-two per cent. die without medical attendance.

Mention was made of the plague due to rat-flea poison, which has been raging for sixteen years. The people won't submit to innoculation. When cholera and small-pox break out many die through ignorance.

There are but three hundred and twenty-five medical missionaries and these reach but a hundredth part of the population. An appeal was made by the speaker for men and women to volunteer as teachers, physicians and missionaries.

It might be mentioned that Dr. McKellar received the Kaiser-a-Hind medal for services in combatting a recent plague. She has been laboring in Central India for twenty-three years and is at present on furlough.

The second speaker, Dr. Murdock MacKenzie, dealt with "Missionary Fallacies; Fiction and Facts."

Both points of view must be taken into account in the consideration of missionary enterprise. The speaker compared the condition in one district in North Scotland, where there are twenty-three ministers for twenty-thousand people, with that in the province of Notth Honan, China, where there are but seventeen missionaries for eight million people.

Reference was made to the fact that the Chinese in Canada represent the natives of one province only. It was pointed out that the Chinese and British officials do not discount the work of the missionary. Such work is heartily endorsed by the present president.

The seeds of the Republic were sown in China when the missionary went in, in 1807. The speaker, showed that the Boxer uprising was not an anti-missionary crusade, but the result of national antipathy to the foreigner.

Just as the principles of Christianity were not thrust upon, but made nown to the people of Britain, so the Gospel is being taught to the Chinese today. Comparing Christianity with other religions, Dr. MacKenzie remarked that the religion of Christ alone takes cognizance of the Fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man.

Touching the difficulties which a prospective missionary has to encounter, the speaker showed that the anguage was not an obstacle. As regards health, some find it hard to get on, but not the majority. In all his twenty-four years' service in China, Dr. MacKenzie has never had a day's serious illness.

The country presents problems for the keenest minds. Men of various occupations are urgently needed. The work varies and thus "appeals to every side of a man's nature".

Literary men are much in demand. The people are looking for western education. "The Chinese are presenting to the world a magnificent opportunity."

There will be a public meeting tonight at 8 o'clock. The speakers will be Dr. Roys, Dr. Jessie McBean and Dr. MacKenzie who will speak on the "Chinese Revolution."

MEDICINE FRESHMEN DEFEATED YESTERDAY IN HARDFOUGHT GAME

Meds. '15 Come Out On Top by Score of 4-1

The campus rink was the scene of a fierce struggle for supremacy between Med. '17 and Med. '15.

The game was very rough, two of the Freshmen being forced to retire on account of sprained shoulders. It was all Med. '15's from the start, the score when the whistle blew for time being 4—1 in their favor. Montgomery proved a satisfactory referee but owing to the absence of a judge of play he could not watch everything.

Med. '17 will likely protest the game on account of Med. '15 playing Mann in goal.

The line-up was as follows:—

Med. '17.	—	Med. '15
McDermid	goal	Mann
Hunter	point	Lanney
Renaud	c. point	Belanger
McGregor	rover	De Muth
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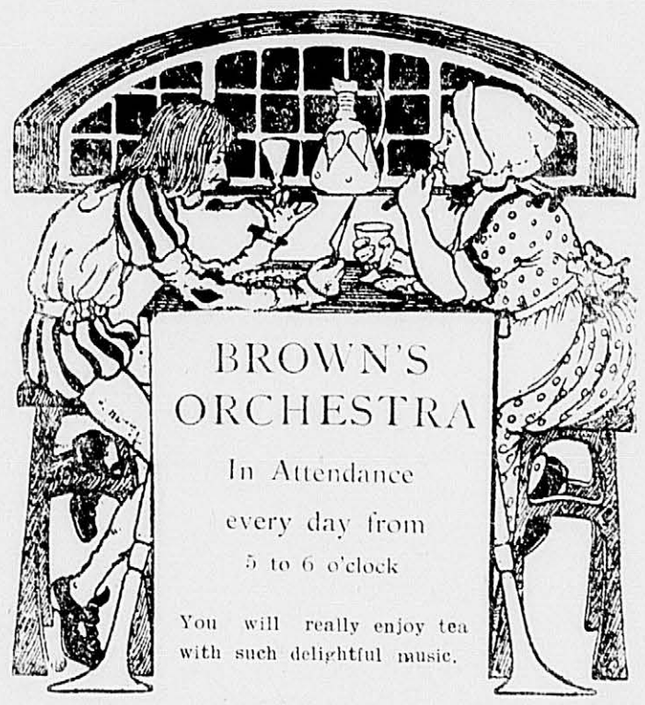

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THINGS THEATRICAL

HIS MAJESTY'S

Most things require a good opener. To a prayer-meeting, a jack-pot, and a theatrical season, it is essential. Miss Horniman seems to realize the force of this truism and has chosen her opening week's programme accordingly.

Last year the initial week of the Manchester players was a fight for an audience. The company was unknown to most of the local theatrical public. The class of plays presented was an innovation for us and it came heralded as an enterprise for the uplift of the stage.

Now the Montreal public is naturally suspicious of these uplift movements if not disconcerting an almost sure to be boring; so that it was a considerable time before the true worth of the Horniman productions became known and the plays received the local support they merited.

That was last year.

This year there is quite another story to tell. Miss Horniman's Company returns to us with an assurance of support and a most sympathetic support for all her presentations.

Moreover she herself has had the opportunity to sound the waters of local sentiment, she knows the shoals the reefs, and the channels of safety and being a shrewd and experienced navigator may be trusted to bring the bark of her enterprise safely through.

The fact that the company is working this week under the auspices and for the benefit of the McGill Settlement, apart from the benefit the settlement may derive from it certainly is not going to bring anything but beneficial results to the company. It assures them for this week at least, of the support of local society and of the support of the University for the whole season.

Wherefore let us rejoice; both, the Company and the Settlement are truly worthy enterprizes, they deserve to prosper and if they can add to their prosperity by combining forces then in the name of Art and Philanthropy let them combine.

There is more, however, about this week's programme which comments itself to the public, than the connection with the University Settlement. The three plays chosen for presentation are three of the most popular, possibly the most popular three plays "done" by the Manchester Company here last year.

Candida is the local favorite of Shaws dramatic creations, Nan met with a very warm reception last season while the works of Sheridan always prove an unfailing source of delight and amusement.

Yesterday afternoon "The Rivals" the first Sheridan comedy of the season was enacted before a full house. It was ladies day and a society function of considerable importance if a mere masculine intruder might be trusted to judge. Fully ninety-five percent of the audience was of the gentler persuasion; an enthusiastic sale of sweets and tea-tickets was carried out and everybody was happy—and chatted and laughed—and chatted.

Of course the play was enacted too and it in itself was well worth the price of admission but with all the other unusual inducements added the afternoon was indeed a gay and festive one.

THE HANDICAPS AND RULES FOR BILLIARD TOURNAMENT WERE ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY

First Round will have to be Played Before February 22nd

ENTRY LIST IS LARGER THAN LAST YEAR

The handicaps in the billiard tournament in the Union were announced yesterday. The first round will have to be played before Feb. 22nd.

(1) The game shall be 250.
(2) The loser shall pay for the table.
(3) The games shall be played on tables 1 or 2.
(4) The contestants shall oppoint their own referees.
(5) The contestants shall have first choice of a table, whether or not another's name is on the slate.
(6) Three prizes will be given.

The following is a list of the contestants and handicaps:

IST. ROUND.

F. A. Quinn, 60. vs. T. D. P. Cambridge, 75.

K. H. McCrimmon, 60. vs. H. D. Gangeon, 30.

B. E. Atkins, 10 vs. W. J. McLean, 30.

C. H. Green, 70, vs. T. H. Kirby, 60.

F. Badgely, 90 vs. C. C. Graham, 25.

C. J. Stewart, 65 vs. D. S. Baker, 35.

A. H. Garland, 60 vs. G. S. Currie, 80.

G. M. Williscroft, scr. vs. D. Bremner, 70.

P. P. Smyth, 20 vs. G. H. Hamilton, 70.

J. Lee, 50 vs. W. H. Morris 55.

W. H. Wilson, 70 vs. M. Baker, 70.

P. Coy, 65, vs. E. Gohier, 60.

B. McDiarmid, scr. vs. C. S. McDougall, 40.

C. J. Murray, scr. vs. A. F. Argue 60.

S. Mann, 75 vs. R. B. Stewart, 40.

G. C. Jones, 80 vs. Pep. Paisley, 85.

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C. V. Samuel, 80 vs. C. O. Donkin, 55.

H. L. Hull, scr. vs. F. W. Saunders, 60.

O. E. Farley, 45 vs. E. Crewson, 50.

W. de C. Laffan, 100 vs. R. P. Egerton, 20.

C. L. Galloway, 60 vs. H. M. Stroke, 75.

A. T. Richards, 65 vs. T. Buckley, 25.

H. E. Stone, 65 vs. O. E. Sargent, 60.

W. H. Millar, 75 vs. W. G. Wright, 65.

AUDITORS REPORT AND BALANCE SHEET PUBLISHED BELOW

Further Information Regarding Councils Finances

In reply to a request received by the editor, the Daily publishes below the balance sheet and auditors report for the year 1911—1912.

Montreal Dec. 18th, 1912

To The President and Members Of The Students' Council Of McGill University, Montreal.

Gentlemen:—

We beg to advise you that we have completed the Audit of the Books and Accounts of the Students' Council for the year ended 30th June, 1912, and now hand you the following statements, duly certified by us:—

1. Statement of Revenue and Expenditure.
2. Balance Sheet as at 30th June, 1912.

RECEIPTS:—We have verified the Receipts with the carbon copies of the Receipt Book.

DISBURSEMENTS:—We have seen Vouchers for all Expenditures made during the year.

McGILL DAILY.

Mr. E. B. Reid opened up a separate Cash Book and Bank Account about March 1st, 1912. The Cash Book has been lost and we were therefore unable to check details of any Receipts and Disbursements from that date to the 30th of June, 1912. In consequence of the foregoing the Statement prepared by us does not show the actual amounts received and disbursed during the year.

We understand that a new set of books has been opened up for the transactions since 1st July, 1912.

MANAGERS ACCOUNTS

We would suggest that a form of account be adopted for the Managers of the various clubs for all expenditure in connection with trips of the teams, these to be handed to the secretary-treasurer immediately after the trip, duly completed, and countersigned by the president of the club.

We would again urge that monthly statements be prepared showing full details of all transactions during the month. These could be verified when we make the monthly audit of the books. These should also show the total Receipts and Disbursements from the beginning of the current year. Yours obediently,

MacINTOSH & HYDE,
Chartered Accountants, Auditors.

THE STUDENTS' COUNCIL OF McGILL UNIVERSITY.
BALANCE SHEET— 30 June, 1912.

	Dr.	Cr.
Cash		$ 496.57
Accounts Payable		773.72
McGILL UNIVERSITY.		
Balance at Credit		1941.02
McGill Daily 1912-13	150.00	
Hockey Souv'r Fund		43.63
Supply Room	200.00	
REVENUE ACCOUNT		
Bal. at Debit 1st of July, 1911	268.36	
Add:—Deficit for Yr.	2636.58	
Total	$3254.94	$3254.94

Montreal, 18th December, 1912.
Audited and Verified subject to our Report of this date.

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CHEMICAL SOCIETY HEAR FINE PAPER FROM DR. RUTTAN

Interesting Reactions Explained Thoroughly

At the regular meeting of the Society last evening, a very interesting address was delivered by Dr. R. F. Ruttan, on the production of "Alkaloids" from Proteins".

Defining alkaloids as those substances which have distinct physiological action, the speaker pointed out that proteins, on hydrolysis, yield small units having certain features in common, viz: all areamino acids, and optically active. In digestion the hydrolysis of proteins is effected by enzymes.

The bacterial action on proteins may be of two kinds (1) action upon protein by process of reduction; (2)—process of decarboxylation, i.e. the removal of carbon dioxide with the formation of simple basic substances. This latter process may be accomplished artificially, by heating with acids, but the yield is small. The chief method for the preparation of these bases from amino acids is by Hoffman's reaction which involves the treatment of theamide produced from the acid with bromine in presence of alkali and subsequent heating with strong caustic ptash yields the amine.

Natural decarboxylation occurs under certain putrefactive conditions, but such a reaction is difficult to control. The physiological action of these bases is that of increasing the blood pressure and reaches its maximum of action when we deal with an iso form of a six-carbon atom base.

Of the diamino acids, lysine and arginine yield, on decarboxylation cadaverine and putresein respectively. These are the reverse, physiologically, from the others in that they lessen blood pressure.

Cylic bases are much more active physiologically. The substance from phenyl alanine was the first ptomaine isolated and its constitution determined. The product from tyrosine now artificially prepared and sold under the name of tyranine, is found to be the active principle in putrid meats thereby causing rise of blood pressure. This is closely related to adriniline, a very powerful drug, now largely used in minor surgery.

By decarboxylating histidine an extremely active base is produced. Death caused by anaphylactic shock is similar to that produced by the histidine base; the parallelism between the two kinds of poison is remarkable. Anaphylactic shock is due to the production of a depressor base. The proteins are the only substances capable of producing these natural bases.

A hearty vote of thanks was extended to Dr. Ruttan and the meeting adjourned.

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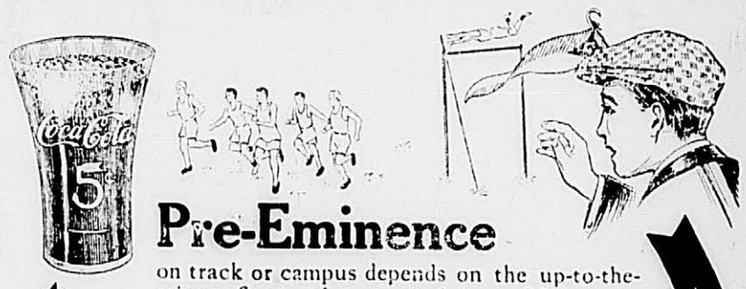

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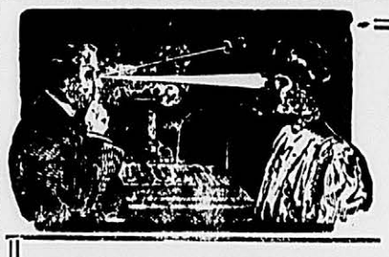

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